V. SFB New Construction

Per ARS-§41-1091 B: This substantive policy statement is advisory only. A substantive policy statement does not include internal procedural documents that only affect the internal procedures of the agency and does not impose additional requirements or penalties on regulated parties or include confidential information or rules made in accordance with the Arizona and doministrative perocedure Act. If you believe that this substantive policy statement does impose additional requirements or penalties on regulated parties you may petition the agency under Arizona Revised Statutes ARS§section 41-1033 for a review of the statement.

Section ARS§15-2041, Arizona Revised Statutes, provides for school district governing boards to develop and annually update a capital plan. If the capital plan indicates a need for a new school or an addition to an existing school within the next four years, the school district is to submit the plan to the School Facilities Board.

Designing a New School Project

Once the district has an approved capital plan, they may begin designing the school. The process is as follows:

Kick--Off Meeting

The district must attend a kick—off meeting with SFB staff. In the meeting, SFB staff will review with the district the project terms and conditions, the policies of the SFB, and answer any questions the district might have.

Funds For Architectural, Engineering, Project Management, and Pre-construction

Once the Terms and Conditions are signed, the SFB will make 5 percent of the awarded funds available for architectural, engineering, project management, and pre-construction fees. Please see "Accessing Project Funds" below for the process on requesting and receiving project funds.

Design Process

During design, at least three design and budget review meetings will take place at the following points:

- 1. Schematic Design
- 2. <u>Design Development</u>
- 3. Guaranteed Maximum Price/Construction Documents

The Executive Director may require additional meetings are if necessary. The Executive Director will develop and make available detailed agendas for the above meetings. For an alternative procurement project, the Design Phase is completed when the CM signs a GMP that is either within the established budget, or is supported by SFB staff. For a design,—bid,—build project, Design Phase ends when the district documents they have received final building permits from the local building authority.

Project Budget

The items required to be included in the estimated budget are all elements of new construction, excluding land acquisition. These elements include, but are not limited to (1) architectural and engineering fees; (2) survey, testing, permits, advertising and printing; (3) construction costs; (4) furniture, fixtures and equipment; (5) any necessary project management and (6) a 3 percent contingency amount.

Design Fees should be based on 80 percent of the formula award or the final contract amount. Amounts reserved for other budget elements including furniture, fixtures, and equipment, will be developed and applied by the Executive Director. The Executive Director should review from time to time these amounts to ensure that they are appropriate.

Board Authorization to Proceed

Once the design phase is complete, SFB staff will make a recommendation to the SFBBoard regarding the appropriateness of proceeding with the project. SFB Sstaff may consider the following in developing the recommendation.

- 1. Design Does the project at least meet the minimum school facility adequacy guidelines as applied to new school construction? Has the district agreed to fund all design elements in excess of these standards?
- 2. Procurement Has the district received a fair market price for the project?
- 3. <u>Student Projections Do updated student population projections continue to justify the awarded square footage?</u>

The Executive Director may consider additional criteria as appropriate.

Final Authorization To Contract

If the district is using an alternative procurement method, SFB staff may authorize the district to sign the GMP once the district has demonstrated that it has obtained local (city, county, or equivalent) building department approval.

If the district is using the design,—bid,—build procurement method, the SFB staff may authorize the district to contract if the received bids are within the established estimated budget.

The Executive Director will notify the district by letter that they are authorized to proceed with the project.

1. Schematic Design Phase	2. Final Review Phase		3. District Submittals		4. Notice to Proceed
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1. Project Schematic Design Phase

2.Two budget review meetings are held between SFB and district officials for schematic design and design development.

2. Final Review Phase

- 2.District submits final bid documents for review
- 2.Staff reviews ADM once more to ensure need for a facility
- 2.Request goes to Board for final approval

3. District Submittals

- 2.District submits copy of local and/or state grading, fire marshal, and building permits
- 2.District submits governing board resolution for additional funds (if applicable)
- 2.District provides full/complete PDF specification and document drawings, copy of sealed construction documents used to obtain verification of proper building permits for school on electronic CD-

4. Notice to Proceed

2.Director sends a letter to the District giving approval to proceed with construction. (Letter will include memorandum on payment process, payment request and payment request schedule.)

A. Process and Procedures for Reviewing New Construction Requests Received Through Capital Plans

2. Project Specifications: A school district that receives approval for additional square footage from the Board will proceed with the design development plan and specifications for the project. Two copies of the proposed educational goals or specifications and schematic design, with budget estimates are required to be submitted to the Board's staff. Each item should be submitted by the school district to Board staff as completed. The items required to be included in the estimated budget are all elements of new construction, excluding land acquisition. These elements include, but are not limited to (1) architectural and engineering fees; (2) survey, testing, permits, advertising and printing; (3) construction costs; (4) furniture, fixtures and equipment; (5) any necessary project management and (6) a five percent contingency amount.

- After Board staff review, the school district shall proceed with a preliminary bid package.
- 2.Board Authorization to Proceed: Upon review of the submitted schematic design, budget estimates and preliminary bid package, the Board's staff will make a recommendation to the Board regarding the appropriateness of the school district to proceed with the additional square footage and the efficiency and effectiveness of the plan. The Staff recommendation is based on whether the project is within the original scope and Board approved budget (including square footage and number of students), the project meets the building adequacy standards, initial comments from the local building authority and whether updated student population projections continue to justify the additional square footage. If the Board approves the project, the school district is authorized to proceed with the final bid package. Prior to authorization to contract the school district will have documented that it has obtained local (city, county or equivalent) building department approval. For projects outside of the original scope and/or Board approved budget or that do not meet the minimum adequacy guidelines, staff may instruct the school district to resubmit the project. Staff may make an alternative recommendation to the Board. Local funds may be used by the school district in conjunction with the Board approved funding.
- 2. Final Authorization to Contract: Upon receipt of bids by the school district, staff may authorize the district to proceed with the contract if the school district has documented that it has obtained local (city, county or equivalent) building department approval. If the bid is outside of the original scope, exceeds the Board approved budget or does not meet the building adequacy standards, staff may make an alternative recommendation to the Board. Local funds may be used by the school district in conjunction with the Board approved funding.
- 2.Distribution of Funds: After a school district has received notification and agreed to the Terms and Conditions, the Board will provide five percent of the monies approved for architectural and engineering fees. The individual school district is responsible for establishing the actual A&E amount.

Accessing Project Funds

After a school district has received final authorization to contract, additional monies will be distributed. Payments will be made on a timely basis based upon the school district's need supported by documentation from the district. The District should submit a "Request for Funds Form" with attached documentation including invoices to support the request. The District may include more than one invoice per request.

If a school district can establish that it will receive funds from the new_school_School-facilities-fund-fund in excess of what it will cost to complete the project in accordance with the new school construction, the school district can access those surplus funds prior to the completion of the project in order to implement change orders or other expenditures exceeding the original scope of the project. new school construction, or the approval of the Board if the request is \$1.0 million or over.

Further distribution of funds will be made after the Board's staff has received, reviewed and approved the permits (local and/or State Grading, Fire Marshal, and Building) and the specifications and document drawings of the sealed construction documents used to obtain the permits. Staff will load the full project funding to include: base, contingency, additional, district and any other funding.

District funding is only loaded if the district is participating in the funding of the project. This may occur at the onset of the project or when the project is underway and the district adds work to the project for which the SFB has not or cannot provide funding.

To obtain funding, the district submits invoices and/or pay applications along with the New Construction Funding request form. The form must include the complete project number to assure that the costs are appropriately credited.

Change Orders - If during the project it becomes necessary for a change order to be issued, the change order must be submitted to the district's SFB liaison for approval. Upon receiving approval the funds will be moved from the contingency line item (or wherever it is appropriate) to the base so that costs can be charged against it. If the change order is strictly a district cost, funding will be added to the district line to account for that cost.

Cost Sharing – Due to the type of project required and the statutory limitations on the SFB, the district may have elected to participate in the cost of the project. This will result in a percentage split. To ease in the logistics of cost sharing, Tthe percentage assigned to the district is based on the proportionate share of the base (construction) cost., contingency and district funding, that is, the total cost of the actual construction of the project. If during the project, the funding distribution changes, the percentage charged to the district will also be adjusted. When a bill is submitted that falls into this category against the construction contract, the district percentage is computed against the entire bill and the costs is are distributed accordingly. The split of the funding is recorded and only the SFB portion of the costs is electronically transmitted to the district.

B. Policy on Project Management Services for New Construction

A school district that does not have the experience or resources to successfully oversee a new school construction project may request technical support from the School Facilities Board in the form of project management pursuant to A.R.S.ARS-§-15-2002(13).

If the Board approves the school district's request, the school district shall agree to reimburse the Board from its allocated funds for the cost of any independent contractors that the Board uses to provide the project management services.

A.R.S.ARS §-15-2041 (D) to reflect states that if the Board modifies the cost per square foot award based on geographic conditions or site conditions, or inflation, and a district has utilized project management or pre-construction services for the project, the Board may deduct the cost of these services from the additional monies awarded the school. However, if the school district demonstrates in writing to the Board's satisfaction that the school district does not have the experience or resources necessary to successfully complete the new school construction project, the Board may provide the school district with monies to pay for the project management

services in addition to the monies the school district receives pursuant to the statutory formula prescribed by A.R.S. ARS - §15-2041.

- 1. The cost of the project management shall be made a part of the overall cost of the new school, and those funds shall be derived from the total allocation for the project provided by the School Facilities Board.
- 2. Should the district funds satisfy the base cost of the new school plus the cost of project management, then the School Facilities Board will not provide any additional funds.
- 3. In the event that a school district does not request project management services, but in the opinion of the <u>SFB</u> staff of the <u>School Facilities Board</u> the project is in jeopardy without such professional systems, the <u>eExecutive dDirector</u> may notify a <u>the</u> district that the project requires the use of private management services and the district's allocation shall be assessed for costs incurred for these services.
- 4. The SFBExecutive Director may terminate awarded funding based on inadequate performance by the selected firm.

C. Architectural Fee Guidelines (Adopted January 1999)

These guidelines are to be used to determine the Lump Sum Architectural & Engineering (A&E) fees for "Basic Services" for all SFB <u>funded</u> projects, <u>including both for including Nnew school</u> Construction, and Deficiency Correction projects. ** These are guidelines, not a schedule **.

The A&E fee for an individual project should be determined by both the difficulty and the estimated cost of the project. In New ConstructionFor new school construction projects, the fee should be determined by the square foot times the formula cost of the planned facility or project (Construction Cost) multiplied by a factor determined by the size and complexity of the scope of the project. See below both "Project Types" (to determine the difficulty of the project) and the "Fee Guidelines Multiplier" (for the percentage multiplier) to determine the project's fee. The final fee should be based on either 80 percent of the awarded formula or the actual construction cost.

Basic Services: The architectural contract should identify and include all of the services necessary to design and construct the project under "Basic Services" without any hidden or unknown cost. The services to be included as part of the contract as "Basic Services" shall consist of architectural, structural, mechanical, electrical, civil, and landscape design. The descriptions of these services are described in the American Institute of Architect (A.I.A). Document B141, "Standard Form of Agreement Between Owner and Architect (1987 Edition)", Article 2, and Add, Modified and/or Delete paragraphs 2.6.5, 2.6.5.1, 2.6.15.1, 3.2, 3.2.1, 3.2.2, 3.2.3, 3.3.1.2, 3.3.1.3, 3.3.3, 3.3.4, 3.3.6, 3.3.9, 3.4.1, 3.4.4, 3.4.9, 4.6.1, 4.6.1.1, 5.2.2, 5.2.3, 8.6, 8.7.1, 8.7.2, 8.7.3, 10.2.1.1, 10.2.1.2, 10.2.1.4, 10.2.1.6 (Please REFER TO the SFB provided ENCLOSED SAMPLE DOCUMENT).

<u>Lump Sum Fee:</u>. This is a fixed A&E fee that is based on a percentage of the estimated cost of construction for the approved project specified for a defined scope of work.

<u>Construction Cost:</u> The cost of construction includes the cost of the construction of the building, site improvements, and all fixed and installed equipment. It does not include Furniture,

Fixtures & Equipment (FF&E), testing, surveys, permits, land costs, studies, contingencies, or A&E fees.

Project Types:

Group A - MORE THAN AVERAGE COMPLEXITY PROJECTS: New complex stand-alone facilities such as special purpose classrooms, laboratory classrooms, libraries, auditoriums, and food service facilities.

Group B - AVERAGE COMPLEXITY—PROJECTS: Total facilities such as new elementary schools, middle schools, high schools, or large additions to existing facilities.

Group C - LESS THAN AVERAGE COMPLEXITY PROJECTS: New less complex standalone facilities such as warehouses, maintenance facilities, bus barns, offices, and storage facilities or any repetitive design use of a facility.

Group D - REPAIRS AND RENOVATIONS: Miscellaneous repairs and renovations, alterations to facilities, code corrective work or upgrades, system replacements, etc.

Fee Guide	eline	Multiplier	:
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Construction Cost:	Group A	Group B	Group C	Group D
\$ 0 to \$ 100,000	8.8%	7.9%	7.2%	8.9%
\$ 100,000 to \$ 400,000	7.8% - 8.8%	7.2% - 7.9%	6.6% - 7.2%	8.3% - 8.9%
\$ 400,000 to \$ 1,000,000	7.2% - 7.8%	6.7% - 7.2%	6.2% - 6.6%	7.8% - 8.3%
\$ 1,000,000 to \$ 4,000,000	6.3% - 7.2%	6.0% - 6.7%	5.7% - 6.2%	7.2% - 7.8%
\$ 4,000,000 to \$10,000,000	6.0% - 6.3%	5.5% - 6.0%	5.3% - 5.7%	6.8% - 7.2%
\$10,000,000 to \$20,000,000	5.5% - 6.0%	5.5% - 6.0%	5.0% - 5.3%	5.7% - 6.8%
\$20,000,000 and above	5.5% - 6.0%	5.5% - 6.0%	4.3% to 5.0%	Up to 6.0%

FEE FORMULA:

SFB Estimated Construction Cost _____ x Multiplier ____ % = Fee

Notes:

The higher the Construction Cost in each range, the multiplier percentage should be proportionally lower.

Districts in remote areas and/or with high cost per square foot should not use a higher multiplier percentage than normal. The increased cost per square foot difference automatically increases the fee to cover the additional cost of travel. Since most of the architects' offices and their consultants are in urban areas, the cost to design and produce the contract documents would be the same as if the project were in the same city. See example below for a 750 student elementary school.

City:	Rural:
$750 \times 95 \text{ S.F/ student.} = 71,250 \text{ S.F.}$	$750 \times 95 \text{ S.F.} \text{ student.} = 71,250 \text{ S.F.}$
71,250 S.F. x \$85 / S.F. = \$6,056,250	71,250 S.F. x \$125 / S.F. = \$8,906,250
\$6,056,250 x 5.7% = \$345,206 = Fee	$\$8,906,250 \times 5.6\% = \$498,750 = Fee$

D. Alternative Delivery Methods

Per ARS \$15-2041 M, until the state board of education and the auditor general adopt rules pursuant to \$15-213, subsection J, the school facilities board may allow school districts to contract for construction services and materials through the qualified select bidders list method of project delivery for new school facilities pursuant to this section.

E. Closeout Procedures

Districts shall be considered to have reached the substantial and/or final completion stage upon submitting to the School District's ASFB Liaison the required documentation by providing the following:

- 1. Certificate of Occupancy from the Local Building Department.
- 2. Architect's Certificate of Substantial Completion.
- 3. Final request for payment (must contain all pages and complete schedule of values) from the contractor and certified by the architect <u>showing</u> the project has zero dollars remaining to be paid to the General Contractor for construction.
- 4. Superintendent's letter statement of assurance that the facility was built according to SFB state guidelines the minimum school facility adequacy guidelines as applied to new school construction, including the installation of all required FF&E. Note Letter requires superintendent's signature.
- 5. (IF APPLICABLE) Fire Marshal's Certification that installed, SFB funded, Water Tank is adequate to provide fire protection at the listed school facility.
- 6. Provide full/complete PDF (specification) and PDF (plan drawings) Construction Document copy on electronic compact disk. Label each 'disk' copy with School District Name, School Name, and SFB Project Number.
 - a. Required Documents include: Architectural, Structural, Civil, Electrical, Mechanical and Plumbing, Landscape, Kitchen Design, drawing documents and written specifications that where reviewed and approved for building permit.
- 7. All documents sent to <u>the SFB</u>, must contain for each project the following at or near the top of each sheet:
 - a. The SFB Project Number.
 - b. The full School District Name and full address
 - c. New School Facility Name and Grade Level and Full Address with Zip Code.
- 8. On On-site walk-through by SFB staff, shall verify that one computer per 8 students, based on the approved SFB occupancy of the facility, and all other FF&E has been installed.
- 9. On-On-site walk-through by SFB staff, shall verify and ask the librarian for assurance that 10 new library books per student, based on the approved SFB occupancy of the facility, has been installed in the library. If the project fails inspection, the SFB staff may withhold sufficient funds to correct the deficiency.

If the project has not processed a payment transaction for more that six months, SFB staff may take steps to initiate the closeout procedure.

F. Policy on Project Balance Funds for New Construction (Adopted November 6, 2003) – Note: The policy applies to projects originally established after August 22, 2002.

ARS 15-2041 I. States that If a school district has surplus monies received from the new school facilities fund, the school district may use the surplus monies only for capital purposes for the project for up to one year after completion of the project. If the school district possesses surplus monies from the new school construction project that have not been expended within one year of the completion of the project, the school district shall return the surplus monies to the school facilities board for deposit in the new school facilities fund.

- 1. Current budgeting procedures including the three to five percent project contingency set aside will continue under existing rules.
- 2. The "one-year" period will be counted from the date of substantial completion as certified by the architect of record.
- 3. Dollars that are legally obligated by either a contract or a purchase order will be deemed spent.
- 4. Districts must obtain approval from the School Facilities Board Executive Director prior to expending any funds under this section. The district may appeal to the School Facilities Board Chairman for a review by the full Board if there is a dispute between the Executive Director and the district regarding the appropriateness of an expenditure.
- 5. The Executive Director may approve appropriate design fees for a proposed project.
- 6. Approved purposes will be any capital item on the project site. This includes soft capital items (as defined by A.R.S.ARS§-15-962), landscape improvements, athletic facilities, administrative space for the project, additional academic space, etc.
- 7. If soft capital items are purchased, the district must certify that the item will be used at the project site for at least three-years.
- 8. If square footage is constructed (either academic or administrative) that space will be counted as visible space for future new school facility calculations.
- 9. Districts may access project balance funds for on—site capital purposes after the construction contract has been awarded.
- 10. Districts may access contingency funds for capital purposes once substantial completion is received.
- 11. If a district contributes dollars to the project in excess of the contingency balance at project closeout, the remaining contingency amount will be released to the district as a reimbursement.

G. Funding Amounts per Square Foot

Grade Level	Urban as of 10/24/06	Rural as of 10/24/06
K-6	\$131.13	\$137.69
7-8	\$138.42	\$145.34
9-12	\$160.28	\$168.29
K-8	\$132.85	\$139.49
4-8	\$134.04	\$140.74
5-8	\$134.77	\$141.51
6-8	\$135.99	\$142.79
7-9	\$145.70	\$152.99
K-12	\$141.62	\$148.70
7-12	\$152.99	\$160.64
5-12	\$147.53	\$154.91

SFB Oversight of Construction Manager at Risk Process Owner Training

If a district uses a construction manager at risk procurement, they must complete the following steps.

Request for Qualifications:

SFB Liaison will review RFQ for the following items:

- 1. Applicable Procurement Rules
- 2. Approve project scope
- 3. Screening criteria
- 4. Form of agreement for CMAR services
- 5. Dispute criteria from AAC R7-2-1155 through R7-2-1159

SFB staff may elect to observe interviews and selection discussions.

SFB-Preliminary Budget Meeting:

<u>SFB</u> <u>Ss</u>taff architect, <u>and</u> SFB Liaison and District construction team (Team is district's designated construction coordinator, architect and CMAR)

- 1. Review base construction budget and derivation of the budget
- 2. Discuss CMAR contingency set-aside
- 3. Review all SFB requirements for new construction and provide guideline information
- 4. Discuss SFB recommendations for economical construction, energy efficient buildings, and indoor air quality standards during construction
- 5. Discuss any identified land issues
- 6. Discuss solar review requirements under A.R.S.ARS§-34-452
- 7. Discuss minority-women owned business inclusion recommendation.

Schematic Design and Budget Review Meeting:

S<u>FB</u> staff architect, SFB Liaison, and district team will review schematic design and estimate for:

- 1. Minimum <u>school facility</u> adequacy guidelines as applied to new <u>school</u> <u>construction projects</u> adherence.
- 2. SFB staff will rReview with district team the design limitations for overover-budget projects.
- 3. Discuss strategies for keeping project within budget.
- 4. Discuss minority-women owned business inclusion recommendation.

GMP Review Meeting:

<u>SFB</u> <u>Ss</u>taff architect, SFB liaison, S<u>FB</u> staff construction cost specialist and district team will review construction documents and estimate prior to GMP bid phase. The SFB liaison may elect to attend district-architect-CMAR GMP discussions prior to setting of GMP.

- 1. Verify minimum <u>school facility</u> adequacy guidelines as applied to new <u>school construction</u> compliance
- 2. Verify final scope of work
- 3. Review value-engineering recommendations
- 4. Conduct estimate discussion as necessary
- 5. Review process for number of bidders in each trade (3 sub bids in all trades recommended)
- 6. Review GMP contingency
- 7. Review schedule of values

This review will be based on a comparison of similar projects. SFB staff will develop a systematic way to record and compare new construction costs.

Construction of Project:

- 1. SFB <u>staff</u> will review all change orders and monitor project contingency funding.
- 2. SFB staff will conduct site visits as determined by the SFB Liaison.
- 3. SFB <u>staff</u> will attend final completion walkthrough as determined by the SFB Liaison.
- 4. The District will submit a monthly report to the SFB Liaison that includes schedule information, the RFI log, the COR log, the Change Order log and other information requested.

Post Construction:

1. SFB <u>staff</u> will review the final project audit conducted by the school district. The SFB staff may decide to audit selected projects.

Policy on Inflation Adjustments (Adopted February 2005, Modified April 2007) Based on an-Attorney General's Opinion No. 104-011, the Board has the authority to increase project awards for inflation if "good cause exists." The SFB will determine if good cause exists based on the following process:

1. S<u>FB</u> staff will review of the construction plans and other contracts to determine if value-engineering or renegotiation opportunities exist. This would include the removal of non-

minimum school facility adequacy guidelines as applied to new school construction upgrades and could include removal of funding for discretionary non-construction contracts. This step would generally take place during the design phase of the project to minimize the cost of redesign.

- 2. Require the district to employ a traditional design-bid-build procurement system, or any alternative delivery method as approved by the Executive Director.
- 3. If bids or the guaranteed maximum <u>price</u> are still over the original budget, determine if re-bidding the project is appropriate.

If the district completes the above steps, has followed all the required policies and procedures, and is unable to build the project, <u>SFB</u> staff <u>would may</u> seek <u>approval of</u> additional funds from the <u>SFBBoard</u>. If additional dollars were provided, any dollars remaining at the end of the project, i.e. unused contingency would be returned to the SFB to offset the cost of the additional dollars.

(Modified August 10, 2006) To supplement the above policy in allowing districts to use alternative delivery methods and still qualify for inflation funding, the <u>board_Board_Board_developed</u> specific guidelines on how to administer the CM at Risk <u>delivery_procurement_method</u>. These steps are to ensure the method is employed correctly and that <u>SFB_staff_receives_sufficient_data</u> to determine that the presented costs are consistent with market conditions.

New Construction Design Standards

When inflation funding is requested by a school district to complete a new school construction project, SFB staff should employ the following design limits when determining the amount of funding to provide. The dollar amounts included are descriptive only and should not be seen as absolute limits. They are a guide intended to indicate the quality levels the SFB is authorizing. The Executive Director may update these amounts as necessary.

Building Limits

(Modified November 2, 2006) To provide additional guidance in applying the <u>minimum school</u> <u>facility adequacy</u> guidelines for new construction projects that are over the formula budget, the Board has decided to limit the number of buildings and lineal feet the SFB will fund.

The table below shows the number of buildings the SFB will fund based on the total square footage of the school:

Square feet	0 – 60,000	60,000- 125,000	125,000- 170,000	170,000- 240,000	240,000 +
Number of Buildings	1	2	3	4	5

The following table shows the allowable minimum lineal feet. Specific comparisons of what the shape would produce is included as *Exhibit Item V. H.*

Building Size	Lineal Feet Allowed		
Under 60,000 sq. ft.	1,600		
67,669 sq. ft.	2,466		
73,953 sq. ft.	2,578		
101,640 sq. ft.	3,020		
134,869 sq. ft.	4,260		

Flooring Limits

Flooring (carpet/VCT) throughout the school with ceramic floor and cove tile for all toilet rooms. SFB staff suggests that the bBoard provide 2 percent of the total construction cost for flooring.

Cost

SFB staff estimates basic flooring can be installed at \$2.25 per square foot. Therefore, in an 80,000 sq-uare foot K-8 building, flooring would cost approximately \$180,000.

The estimate for ceramic flooring is \$7.00 per square foot. An average 80,000 square foot K-8 has 4,000 sq. feet in toilet room space, for a total cost of \$28,000 (4,000 x \$7.00).

Gym Floors

For 7-12 schools, provide funding for one gym floor up to a 50X84 (standard basketball) plus a 10-foot wide perimeter or 7,280 (70 x 104) square feet.

Cost

SFB staff estimates a standard gym floor costs approximately \$13 per square foot, or \$95,000.

Millwork

Ten feet of millwork per classroom plus 40 feet in science, art and music rooms. Please note that a standard 900 sq-uare foot classroom has 120 lineal feet of wall space.

Cost

SFB staff estimates millwork to cost approximately \$200 per lineal foot. An 80,000 sq-uare foot school will have approximately 40 classrooms for a total cost of \$80,000 (\$200 X 10 square feet X 40 classrooms) or \$1.00 per square foot.

Exterior Lighting

Exterior wall fixtures every 50 feet and lighting for required parking spaces. For example, in an 80,000 sq-uare foot school-the SFB guidelines this design standard will allow an exterior perimeter of approximately 2,700 feet. The SFB would and provide funding for 54 exterior lights.

Additionally, that same building would have approximately 80 required parking spaces (one per full-time staff member and one for each 100 students). An average parking lot requires 300 sq. feet per parking spot for a total parking lot of 24,000. A parking lot light can illuminate approximately 8,000 sq. uare feet. To adjust for different configurations, SFB staff suggests the Board assume that each light can cover 5,000 square feet. Therefore, the SFB would provide funding for five lights.

Costs:

SFB staff estimates that exterior wall fixtures cost approximately \$300 per fixture. Additionally, SFB staff estimates the cost of parking lot lights (including installation) at \$4,000 per light. For an 80,000 square foot schools, total costs would be \$36,200.

Canopies

One percent of the total interior square footage will be allowed for canopies.

Cost

SFB staff estimates canopy costs at \$20 per square foot. Therefore, for an 80,000 square foot school, the SFB would provide funding for 800 square feet of canopy space or \$16,000.

Playground Structures and Canopies

Two playground structures including shade structures (one for primary grades and one for upper grades) for each campus that has K-6 grades.

Costs:

SFB staff believes a district can obtain two playground structures with canopies as described above for approximately \$130,000.

Landscaping

Allow a landscaping budget of 1 percent of the current cost per square foot multiplied by the awarded square footage. For example, for an 80,000 sq-uare foot K-8 the current cost per square foot is \$132.85 or \$10,628,000. One percent of that amount is \$106,280. Within that budget a school could install approximately 100,000 square feet (2.5 acres) of turf in addition to some landscaping at the front of the school. The SFB would encourage the use of xeriscape as much as possible.

Summary

The following is based on an 80,000 sq-uare foot K-8

<u>Item</u>	Suggested Application	Total Cost	Cost per sq. Foot
Flooring	Carpet full school, ceramic tile in bathrooms.	\$160,000	\$2.00
Gym Floors	One 8,400 sq -uare foot floor	\$80,000	\$1.00
Millwork	10 lineal feet per classroom/40 feet for science and art rooms:	<u>\$100,000</u>	<u>\$1.25</u>
Exterior Lighting	Exterior lights every 50 ft and parking lot lights	<u>\$36,200</u>	<u>\$.45</u>
Canopies	1 percent of interior square feet for canopy space	\$16,000	<u>\$.20</u>
Playground Structures	Two playground structures for each K-6 campus	<u>\$130,000</u>	\$1.63
Landscaping	1 percent of total budget allowed for landscaping	<u>\$106,280</u>	<u>\$1.33</u>
Total		<u>\$628,480</u>	<u>\$7.86</u>

L-Reporting Requirements

By October 15, each district shall report:

- 1. The projects funded at each school in the previous fiscal year with monies from the district new school facilities fund.
- 2. An accounting of the monies remaining in the new school facilities fund at the end of the previous fiscal year.

Forms are shown in Exhibit Item V.I.